

### REMARKS

Applicants respectfully request entry of the Amendment and reconsideration of the claims. Claims 1, 4-7, 23, 33-48 are pending.

Applicants have amended the specification to correct obvious typographical errors. Sequence identifiers have been added to correctly indicate the SEQ ID NO.

In view of the above amendments and remarks, Applicant respectfully requests a Notice of Allowance. If the Examiner believes a telephone conference would advance the prosecution of this application, the Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned at the below-listed telephone number.

Respectfully submitted,

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